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[SENATE FILE No. 221—HIGHWAYS.]

A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO LEGALIZE THE ACTS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF SIOUX COUNTY, IOWA, IN THE ESTABLISHMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors of Sioux County, Iowa, were petitioned by Henry De Jong and others to appoint a commissioner to locate county roads on all section lines in Nassau Township, Sioux County, Iowa, where roads had not yet been located; and by L. Van Der Meer and others to appoint a commissioner to locate county roads on all section lines in Holland Township, Sioux County, Iowa; and by Patrick Quigley and others to appoint a commissioner to locate county roads on all section lines in Reading Township, Sioux County, Iowa; and by A. G. Crandall and others to appoint a commissioner to locate county roads on all section lines in Settlers Township, Sioux County, Iowa; and by Lewis P. Kenyon and others to appoint a commissioner to locate county roads on all section lines in Rock Township, Sioux County, Iowa; and by Robert Lynch, Jr., and others to appoint a commissioner to locate county roads on all section lines in Grant Township, Sioux County, Iowa; and

WHEREAS, Said prayers were granted and commissioners appointed as prayed; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors of Sioux County, Iowa, on the second day of September, A. D. 1873, at the regular meeting of said Board did order that all of said roads reported by the commissioners so appointed be, and are established absolute according to the reports of the commissioners, and ordered the auditor to record the field notes thereof as shown on pages 158 and 159 of Supervisors Calender No. 1; and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of said proceedings of the said board and other officers in establishing said highways.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa :

SECTION 1. That the establishment and locating of said highways and all the proceedings and acts of the officers in Sioux County, Iowa, (in establishing said highways) be, and the same are hereby legalized and declared valid and binding to the same extent as if the law had in all respects been strictly adhered to in locating and establishing said highways, and that the location and establishment of all highways heretofore established by the Board of Supervisors of Sioux County, Iowa, as shown by the records in the office of the auditor of said county, be and are hereby legalized and declared valid as if the law had been in all respects strictly complied with.